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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of STEINDL, Guenter
ACTIVE PUBLISHING METHOD AND SYSTEM
Our Ref. Q062116

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 21 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 2 sheets of drawings. Also enclosed are the Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO 1449, Search Report and references, the priority document, and copies of the Cover Page of the International Publication and of the PCT Request. **The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The present application is being filed as a Continuation Application, under 35 U.S.C. § 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53, of International Application PCT/EP99/05299, filed on July 23, 1999, in accordance with the procedures outlined in Sections 1895 et seq. of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure. To facilitate the Examiner's review, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of the cover page of the Published International Application and a copy of Applicants' PCT Request.

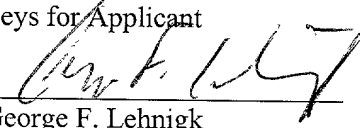
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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$710.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from European Application No. 98114799.4 filed on August 06, 1998. A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

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